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127	50	227	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
139	130	139	130	Non-English specification	
147	2,520	147	2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
112	920*	112	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
113	1,840*	113	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
115	110	215	55	Extension for reply within first month	
116	400	216	200	Extension for reply within second month	
117	920	217	460	Extension for reply within third month	
118	1,440	218	720	Extension for reply within fourth month	
128	1,960	228	980	Extension for reply within fifth month	
119	320	219	160	Notice of Appeal	
120	320	220	160	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
121	280	221	140	Request for oral hearing	
138	1,510	138	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
140	110	240	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
141	1,280	241	640	Petition to revive - unintentional	
142	1,280	242	640	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
143	460	243	230	Design issue fee	
144	620	244	310	Plant issue fee	
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146	740	246	370	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))	
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Applicants: Tsuneo Hayashi et al. **Atty. Docket No.** 075834.00040
Serial No.: 09/ 503,140 **Group Art Unit:** 2133
Filed: February 11, 2000 **Examiner:** Joseph D. Torres
Invention: "READOUT CONTROLLING APPARATUS, REPRODUCING APPARATUS, RECORDING APPARATUS, AND READOUT CONTROLLING METHOD"

DRAWING AMENDMENT

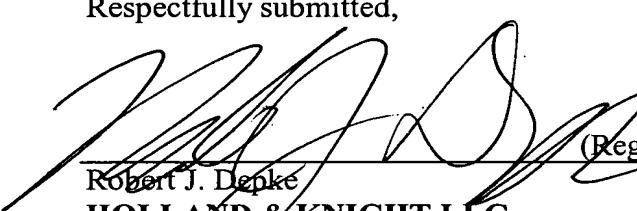
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Applicants have attached a copy of Applicants' proposed changes to Figures 2, 3, 8, 9 and 12 of the referenced application. The proposed changes are indicated in red ink. Applicants respectfully request that the changes be accepted and entered in this application. Applicants state that formal drawings with the proposed changes set forth therein will be submitted upon receiving a Notice of Allowance for this application.

Respectfully submitted,



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